FISCAL NOTE

SB 1750 - HB 1673

March 20, 2003

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires the presiding general sessions criminal judge of any county which appoints judicial commissioners to establish qualifications and training necessary for a person to be appointed judicial commissioner. Requires persons appointed judicial commissioners prior to enactment to meet the qualifications and training established by the judge to be eligible for reappointment.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant / Permissive

Estimate assumes to the extent the judges choose to require additional training under the provisions of the bill local governments would experience an increase in expenditures for the costs of such training. This increase is estimated to be not significant as most counties with judicial commissioners already have some training program in place.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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